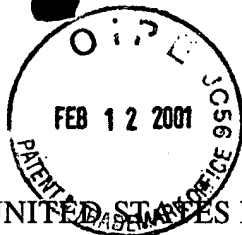


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Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests that the above-captioned application be amended as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-39. Please add new claims 40-95 as follows:

- Sub C1
40. (New) A method of storing Web content, comprising:
receiving a Web page;
identifying Web objects having correlated retrieval times to the Web page;
receiving the Web objects; and
storing the Web objects in co-located positions on a storage device.
41. (New) The method of claim 40, wherein the Web objects comprise at least one hyper-linked Web object of the Web page.
42. (New) The method of claim 40, wherein the Web objects comprise at least one embedded Web object of the Web page.